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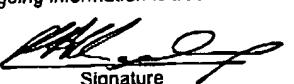
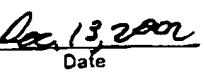
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Mark James Minker
Inventor

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Before me this 13rd day of December, 2002, personally appeared Mark James Yunker, to me known to be the person who is described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledge to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein expressed.



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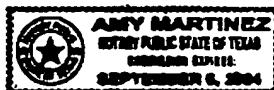
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